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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
Graham Francois Duirs )  
Application No.: 09/622,094 ) Group Art Unit: 1616  
Filed: October 17, 2000 ) Examiner: R. Dewitty  
For: DRUG DELIVERY SYSTEM )

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Applicant hereby petitions for a three-month extension of time to reply to the Office Action of December 4, 2002. A fee of \$930.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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